



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
(MBHB Case No. 00-1123-D)

In re Application of:	)	
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Cunningham, et al.	)	
	)	Group Art Unit: 1641
Serial No.: 09/930,352	)	
	)	Examiner: Yang, Nelson C.
Filed: August 15, 2001	)	
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For: A Label-Free High-Throughput Optical	)	
Technique for Detecting Biomolecular	)	
Interactions	)	

**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In regard to the above-identified application:

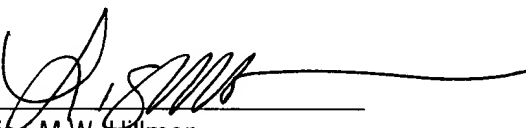
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Respectfully submitted,  
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Date: April 6, 2004

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